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**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' MEETING
FIRST FLOOR HEARING ROOM, WINCHESTER HALL
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2011 – 7:00 P.M.**

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I. Call to Order by President

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Invocation

IV. PUBLIC HEARING

A. [Frederick County's Proposed 2012](#) Legislative Package (Proposed legislative items outlined below) – John Mathias, Office of the County Attorney and Ragen Cherney, Office of the County Manager

1. Revision to Inmate Fees for the Frederick County Adult Detention Center.
2. Increase to the Annual Amount of Gaming Permits Issued for Raffles.
3. Permitting Video Lottery Terminals (Slots) for Local Charitable Organizations.
4. Granting Taxing Authority to the Frederick County Board of Education.
5. Tax Credit for Small Businesses.
6. Requested Increase in Auctioneer Fees for Tax Sale.
7. Increase in Frederick County Bond Authority.
8. Expanded Appropriation Authority for Unappropriated Undesignated Fund Balances.
9. Terminology Changes for Fund Balance.
10. Altering the Definition of an "On Duty" Volunteer Firefighter.
11. Adding a Provision Regarding Financial Stipends for Volunteer Firefighters.

The Board requested to add the following Position Statements to the package:

1. State School Construction Exceed Economic Assistance for Business Entities.
2. Frederick County Public Schools Authority to Count and Report Undocumented Students.
3. Maryland to be a "Shall Issue" State for a Right to Carry a Firearm.
4. Reinstatement of Highway User Revenues to Local Governments.
5. Constitutional Convention Regarding Those in the United States Unlawfully.
6. Support for the Maryland Partial Birth Abortion Ban Act.

7. Constitutional Amendment to Prohibit “Economic Development” Takings.
8. Cooperative Enforcement of Federal Immigration Laws throughout Maryland.
9. Concerns with the Negative Impact of State Stormwater Regulations to Local Governments.
10. Repeal or Modifications of the Work Place Fraud Act of 2009 (SB 909).
11. Sunsetting of Issues on Unemployment Insurance Fees on Businesses.
12. Opposition to PlanMaryland.
13. Opposition to Mandated State Septic Regulations on Local Governments.

Public comments will be limited to five (5) minutes.

The Board will finalize the legislative package on Thursday, October 27, 2011

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V. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND/OR REQUESTS

It is the policy of the Board of County Commissioners to permit public comments and/or requests at this time with comments being limited to five (5) minutes per person. Personnel matters are confidential and cannot be received through this kind of forum.

VI. ADJOURNMENT

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